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A BILL *to regulate and reſtrain paper bills of credit in the* Britiſh *colonies and plantations in* America, *and to prevent the ſame being legal tenders in payments for money; and for the better enforcing his majeſty's orders and inſtructions throughout the ſaid colonies and plantations.*

WHEREAS the creating and iſſuing of paper bills of credit in the *Britiſh* colonies and plantations in *America*, by virtue of acts, orders, reſolutions, or votes, made or paſſed by any governor, council, or aſſembly, in any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, and making legal the tender of ſuch bills of credit in payment for debts, dues, and demands, hath been a great diſcouragement to commerce, by occaſioning confuſion in dealings, and leſſening of credit in thoſe parts:

And whereas, for remedying the inconveniencies which have ariſen from the creating and iſſuing of ſuch paper bills of credit in the ſaid colonies and plantations, his majeſty has been pleaſed to require and command the reſpective governors of his colonies and plantations in *America* punctually and effectually to obſerve his majeſty's royal inſtructions, not to give aſſent to, or to paſs, any act, whereby bills of credit may be iſſued in lieu of money; unleſs a clauſe be inſerted in ſuch acts, declaring, that the ſame ſhall not take effect until the ſaid act ſhall be approved by his majeſty:

And whereas, notwithſtanding his majeſty's royal orders and inſtructions, and for want of a due obſervance of the ſame, ſeveral indirect practices of creating, iſſuing, and emitting paper bills of credit are ſtill carried on within ſome of the ſaid colonies or plantations, to the great prejudice of the trade of his majeſty's ſubjects:

Therefore, for the more effectual remedying of the ſaid inconveniencies,

May it pleaſe your moſt excellent MAJESTY,

That it may be *enacted*; *and be it enacted*, by the KING's moſt excellent *majeſty*, by and with the advice and conſent of the lords ſpiritual and temporal, and commons, in this preſent parliament aſſembled, and by the authority of the ſame, that from and after the day of it ſhall not be lawful for any governor, council, or aſſembly, for the time being, or any of them, or any lieutenant-governor, or perſon preſiding or acting as governor for the time being, either within ſuch of the ſaid colonies or plantations as are ſubject to the government of the proprietors thereof, or to a government conſtituted by royal charter; or within ſuch of the ſaid colonies and plantations as are ſubject to his majeſty's immediate commiſſion and government, to make or paſs, or give his or their aſſent to the making or paſſing of any act, order, reſolution, or vote, within any of the ſaid plantations or colonies, whereby any paper bills, or bills of credit, of any kind or denomination, ſhall be created or iſſued, under any pretence whatſoever; or whereby the time limited, or the proviſions made, for the calling in, ſinking or diſcharging of ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, as are already ſubſiſting, and paſſing in payment, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, ſhall be protracted or poſtponed; or whereby the ſame ſhall be ordered or allowed to be re-iſſued, or to obtain a new and further currency; and that all ſuch acts, orders, reſolutions, or votes, which ſhall or may be paſſed or made after the ſaid day of within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, ſhall be, and are hereby declared to be, null and void, and of no force or effect whatſoever; any law, cuſtom, or uſage, to the contrary in any wiſe notwithſtanding.

And be it further enacted, by the authority aforeſaid, that all ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, as are now ſubſiſting, and paſſing in payment, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, ſhall be forthwith called in, ſunk and diſcharged, according to the tenor of the reſpective acts, orders, votes, or reſolutions, for creating and iſſuing, or continuing the ſame reſpectively.

And be it further enacted, by the authority aforeſaid, that if ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, as are now ſubſiſting, and paſſing in payment, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, or any of them, ſhall, from and after the expiration, or other ſooner determination, of the reſpective periods of time within which the ſame, or any of them, now ſtand limited to be called in, ſunk, or diſcharged, according to the tenor of the reſpective acts, orders, votes, or reſolutions, for creating and iſſuing, or continuing the ſame reſpectively, as aforeſaid, be accounted, received, taken, or paid, for the diſcharge of any contracts or bargains, debts, dues, or demands; all perſons who ſhall pay or render the ſame in account, as aforeſaid, ſhall be liable and ſubject to pay, ſatisfy, and diſcharge, ſuch contracts or bargains, debts, dues, or demands, in the ſame manner, to all intents and purpoſes, as if no ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, had been accounted, taken, received, or paid, for the diſcharge of ſuch contracts or bargains, debts, dues, or demands, as aforeſaid: And all creditors within any of the ſaid colonies and plantations, notwithſtanding the tender and actual receipt thereof, ſhall and may ſue for and recover the value of their debts in money in any of his majeſty's courts of record there, as fully as if no ſuch paper bills of credit had been at any time tendered or accepted.

Provided nevertheleſs, That nothing in this act contained ſhall extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to reſtrain his majeſty, his heirs or ſucceſſors, from authorizing, from time to time, as they ſhall judge neceſſary or proper, by their royal inſtructions in that behalf, any governor or governors within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, to give his or their aſſent to any act or acts of aſſembly hereafter to be made in any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, for the creating and iſſuing of ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, in lieu of and for ſecuring ſuch reaſonable ſum or ſums of money, as ſhall be deemed requiſite for the current ſervice of the year, ſo as by ſuch act or acts of aſſembly, whereby ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, ſhall be created or iſſued, ſufficient proviſion be made to ſecure the calling in, diſcharging, and ſinking of the ſame, within a reaſonable time, not exceeding the ſpace of to be computed from the dates of the reſpective acts whereby ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, were created and iſſued; any thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any wiſe notwithſtanding.

Provided alſo, that nothing herein contained ſhall extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to reſtrain his majeſty, his heirs or ſucceſſors, from authorizing, by their royal inſtructions, any governor or governors, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, to give his or their aſſent to any act or acts of aſſembly hereafter to be made in any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, for creating and iſſuing ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, in lieu of, and for ſecuring ſuch reaſonable ſum or ſums of money as ſhall at any time hereafter be judged neceſſary or expedient to be borrowed and taken up upon any ſudden and extraordinary emergency of government, and for the immediate ſupport and defence thereof; ſo as in every ſuch act or acts of aſſembly, for the emiſſion of paper bills, or bills of credit, ſo iſſued as aforeſaid, due care be taken to aſcertain the real value of all ſuch principal ſums ſo borrowed and taken up upon the ſecurity thereof; and ſo as care be likewiſe taken in the ſaid act or acts to eſtabliſh and provide an ample and ſufficient fund for the calling in, diſcharging, and ſinking, within as ſhort and reaſonable a time as may be, as well the principal ſum ſo borrowed, as all arrears of intereſt, which ſhall have accrued thereon to the time of calling in, diſcharging, and ſinking the ſame.

And be it further enacted, by the authority aforeſaid, that no paper

per bills, or bills of credit, which ſhall or may, from and after the day of be created or iſſued within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations by virtue and in purſuance of the inſtructions of his majeſty, his heirs or ſucceſſors, given to any governor or governors for the time being, as aforeſaid, ſhall be accounted, received, taken, or paid, for the diſcharge of any contracts or bargains; nor ſhall the tender thereof be legal in payment of any private debts, dues, or demands, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations; but that it ſhall and may be lawful to and for all perſons to refuſe to take ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, in diſcharge or payment of any contracts or bargains, debts, dues, or demands whatſoever; any thing herein before-contained to the contrary thereof in any wiſe notwithſtanding.

Provided always, that nothing in this act contained ſhall extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to make legal the tender of any paper bills, or bills of credit, iſſued before the ſaid day of in payment of any private debts, dues, or demands, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations.

And whereas there are now ſubſiſting, and paſſing in payment, within the ſaid colonies and plantations, divers kinds of paper bills or bills of credit, of various denominations, which have been heretofore created and iſſued within the ſaid colonies and plantations, or ſome of them, on loans and otherwiſe, whereby private perſons, and their eſtates, ſtand liable to, and bound for, the diſcharge of the ſums by them borrowed and received on ſuch loans; without the payment of which ſums (in caſe any difficulty or obſtruction ſhould ariſe in the payment thereof) ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, ſo iſſued on ſuch loans, cannot be called in, diſcharged, and ſunk, according to the tenor of the reſpective acts, orders, votes, or reſolutions, by virtue whereof the ſame have been ſo reſpectively iſſued:

For the providing a remedy for ſuch inconveniences, *be it further enacted*, by the authority aforeſaid, that all ſuch paper bills, or bills of credit, of what kind or denomination ſoever, which have at any time heretofore been created and iſſued on ſuch loans, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, be duly called in, and diſcharged and ſunk, according to the tenor of the reſpective acts, orders, votes, or reſolutions, for creating and iſſuing, or continuing the ſame reſpectively, in like manner as all other paper bills, or bills of credit, already ſubſiſting within the ſaid colonies or plantations are herein before required to be called in, diſcharged, and ſunk.

And be it further enacted, by the authority aforeſaid, that all perſons, who have borrowed and taken up any ſum or ſums of money on ſuch loans as aforeſaid, for the diſcharge whereof they, and their reſpective eſtates, ſo ſtand bound, ſhall be required and compelled by all due and legal means, to ſatisfy and diſcharge the ſums by them borrowed, according to the terms of ſuch loans reſpectively, and the true intent and meaning thereof: And in caſe any deficiency or loſs ſhall happen, by failure of the ſecurity ſo taken on ſuch loans reſpectively, that the ſame, and every part thereof, ſhall be ſupplied and made good by an adequate tax or impoſition, to be aſſeſſed, levied, and raiſed, within the ſaid colonies or plantations reſpectively, where ſuch loſs or deficiency ſhall ſo happen.

And whereas ſome of his majeſty's ſaid colonies or plantations have not paid a due regard and obedience to royal orders and inſtructions, from time to time iſſued for the better government of ſuch colonies or plantations reſpectively; but have aſſumed to themſelves an exemption from, and power of diſpenſing with, or not obeying the ſame, under pretence of royal grants or charters reſpectively:

And whereas ſome doubts have ariſen, touching the powers and authorities repoſed and veſted in governors, lieutenant-governors, and other perſons preſiding or acting as governors within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, in reſpect to the paſſing and making of any acts or orders in the ſaid colonies or plantations reſpectively:

For the enforcing therefore the due execution of the royal orders and inſtructions throughout all the *Britiſh* colonies and plantations in *America*, and for removing and obviating ſuch doubts as aforeſaid, *be it enacted*, by the authority aforeſaid, that all governors, lieutenant governors, and other perſons preſiding or acting as governors within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, ſhall pay ſtrict obedience to ſuch orders and inſtructions, as ſhall from time to time be tranſmitted to them, or any of them, by his majeſty, his heirs or ſucceſſors, or by or under his or their authority.

And be it further enacted, by the authority aforeſaid, that from and after the day of it ſhall and may be lawful to and for all ſuch governors, lieutenant-governors, and other perſons preſiding or acting as governors, for the time being, within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, and they are hereby authorized and required, to ſignify, enter, and declare their negative to, and diſſent from, all acts or orders, which ſhall be paſſed or made within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations reſpectively, when & ſo often as ſuch acts or orders, or any of them, ſhall be repugnant to the orders or inſtructions of his majeſty, his heirs or ſucceſſors, or ſhall be conceived or taken by ſuch governor, lieutenant-governor, or perſon preſiding or acting as governor, for the time being, to be repugnant to the intereſt of this realm, or to the publick good and welfare of ſuch colonies or plantations reſpectively: And all acts or orders, which ſhall be paſſed or made within any of the ſaid colonies or plantations, after ſuch negative and diſſent ſignified, entered, and declared as aforeſaid, ſhall be null and void, and of no force whatſoever, until ſuch time as the pleaſure of his majeſty, his heirs or ſucceſſors, ſhall be known and ſignified thereupon.

[*The above Bill was brought into Parliament on the* 3*d of* March *laſt, and read a firſt Time; and on the* 15*th, it was ordered, that the Petitions of* Elnakim Palmer, *Eſq*; (*Agent for* Connecticut) *and* Richard Partridge, *Eſq*; (*Agent for* Pennſylvania *and* Rhode-Iſland) *againſt the ſaid Bill*, do lie upon the Table until the ſaid Bill be read a ſecond Time; and that the Petitioners be then heard by their Counſel againſt the ſaid Bill, if they think fit. And that the ſaid Bill be read a ſecond Time, upon Tueſday the 11th of *April*.—*As the ſaid Bill ought to be read by every Man in the Paper Currency Governments, I hope this Publication of it will be agreeable to my Readers.*]

BOSTON, *June* 19.

We hear, that the *French* are erecting a Fort at St. *John's* within the Limits of NOVA-SCOTIA, under the Protection of 3 Veſſels of Force.—A hopeful Proceeding, when we are *talking* of a ſtrong Settlement in that Province. And,

That Marſhal *Saxe* has deſtined a very large Sum of Money for the Settlement of *Tobago*, which he propoſes to make the Retreat of unfortunate Gentlemen of all Nations.

CHARLES-TOWN, *July* 31.

Laſt Week an odd kind of Man, who calls himſelf *C. J. C. Weſley*, and has gone by the Name of *Dicey* and *Pierce*, pretending to be a Preacher, was committed to our Goal by *Alexander Gordon*, Eſq. ——And on Saturday Morning a dreadful Fire broke out behind the ſaid Mr. *Gordon's*, which conſumed the Houſe he lived in and two others, before it was extinguiſhed.

Several Perſons have been lately robbed on the Highway.

CUSTOM-HOUSE CHARLES-TOWN, *Enter'd inwards.*

Sloop Kitty, Robert Marſhal, from Providence.

Entered Outwards.

Sloop Rebecca, Benjamin Flower, for Philadelphia.

Clear'd for Departure.

Snow St. Mary, Jonas Barnes, to Briſtol.
Snow Eleanor, Philip Roſs, to Hull.
Sloop Charming Betty, William Blay, to Curracoa.
Sloop Elizabeth & Mary, Cornelius Hinſon, to Bermuda.
Sloop Abigail & Mary, James Whitewood, to North-Carolina.

EXPORTED from this Place, ſince the firſt of November 1748.

Rice, 39,603 Barrels.	Turpentine, 1,188 Barrels.
Pitch, 3,402 Barrels.	Deer-Skins, 394 Hhds.
Tar, 2,493 Barrels.	Indico, 90,754 *lb.*

ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO BE SOLD, a LOT and BUILDINGS in *Broad-ſtreet* belonging to the ſubſcriber, ſituate between mr. *Aſh*'s and mr. *Edward Richardſon*'s, containing 27 feet in width, and 100 in depth. Alſo a plantation on *Aſhley-River*, containing 450 acres, with a very good dwelling-houſe, and many other convenient buildings thereon, 3 ſets of brick indico vats, and an orchard that brings in yearly from the *Charles-Town* market about 200 *l.* the land very good for corn and rice, and has very convenient dams. Any perſon inclin'd to purchaſe, may treat with me on the ſaid plantation. *Andrew Deveaux.*

THE Members of the *CHARLES-TOWN LIBRARY SOCIETY*, are deſired to meet on Saturday Evening next, (at the uſual Hour) at Mr. *Thomas Blythe's* in *Broad-Street*, to pay their Arrears, &c. *By Order of the Preſident,*

SAMUEL BRAILSFORD, *Secr.*

Beſt GUN-POWDER, and the proper ſized DEER-SHOT exceeding good, to be ſold at my Shop in *Elliott-ſtreet*. JOSEPH CHILD.

RUN AWAY on the 3d Inſtant *July*, a tall ſlim negro man, aged about 45 years, named *Will*; a boy named *Ned*, tall and ſlim, about 18 years; and *Mary*, a girl about 15: It is ſuppoſed they are gone to the ſouthward. Whoever takes up and delivers them to the warden of the work-houſe, or at my plantation on *Aſhley-River*, ſhall have 20 *l.* reward for *Will*, and 5 *l.* for each of the others. ☐ *John Cattell*, Son of *William*.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *Joſeph Shute* of *Charles-Town*, in the ſaid Province, Merchant, hath exhibited his Petition to the Chief Juſtice and any two Aſſiſtant Juſtices of his Majeſty's Court of Common Pleas, ſetting forth, that he is in the Cuſtody of the Provoſt-Marſhal of this Province, by Virtue of ſeveral Capias's ad Satisfaciendum, and upon Meſne Proceſs, at the Suits of *William Biſſett* and others, *John Wilſon*, *William Miles*, *Benjamin Mazyck*, *Thomas Lamboll* and *Iſaac Bradwell* Aſſignees of the Provoſt-Marſhal, *William Donnom*, *Nickleſon* & *Shubrick*, and *Elias Ball*, for Debts to them juſtly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors, in Truſt for the Reſt, all and ſingular his Eſtate, both real and perſonal, a Liſt or Schedule thereof being annexed to his ſaid Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Aſſembly in ſuch Caſe made and provided. *It is therefore ORDERED*, and the ſaid *William Biſſett* and others, *John Wilſon*, *William Miles*, *Benjamin Mazyck*, *Thomas Lamboll*, *Iſaac Bradwell*, *William Donnom*, *Nickleſon* & *Shubrick*, *Elias Ball*, and all others to whom the ſaid *Joſeph Shute* is in any wiſe indebted, are hereby ſummoned, and have Notice to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of *Common Pleas* which ſhall happen next after *Thirty* Days from the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid *Joſeph Shute* ſhould not be entitled to the Benefit of the ſaid Acts, upon his complying with the Terms therein preſcribed. *July* 24, 1749. J. WEDDERBURN, *Cl.C.P.*

The ſubſcriber having (ſince the exhibition of his petition aforeſaid) diligently and carefully examined his affairs, and thereby found himſelf capable of ſaving his houſes, land and ſlaves, provided his creditors will allow him *two* years for the recovery of ſuch monies as are due to him, which alone will be more than ſufficient to diſcharge every debt he oweth, with intereſt thereon to that time,—deſires a meeting of his creditors, on *monday* the 14th of *Auguſt*, at his lodgings on the green JOSEPH SHUTE.

N.B. *If there ſhould be any unexpected deficiency, he will oblige himſelf, immediately on the expiration of the ſaid Term, to ſell ſo much of his eſtate as ſhall ſuffice.*

NEGRO CLOTH lately imported, to be ſold very reaſonable, by ✿ *Samuel Eveligh.*

A bay horſe branded on the mounting buttock ‡, and on the off ſhoulder 85. A ſorrel horſe, branded on the off buttock SG. A grey yearling mare, unbranded, a bit taken out of each ear. A bay horſe, branded on the off ſhoulder with a heart and diamond in the middle, an obſcure brand on the mounting ſhoulder, a ſtar in his face, and about 14 hands high. A ſmall black horſe, with a ſwelling on his belly, branded on the off buttock R. The owners muſt apply to ✿ *Moſes Thomſon*, J.P.

To be RAFFLED for, on the 28th of *Auguſt* (if the ſubſcription be full) a lot in *Union-ſtreet*, belonging to the eſtate of *Adam Beauchamp* deceaſed, with a houſe thereon two ſtory high, three rooms on a floor, and two garret-rooms, a good kitchen and ſtore, a ſhed that will hold 300 barrels of rice, a yard and garden. The whole (valued at 2,600 *l.*) will be divided into 130 chances, at 20 *l.* each. Subſcriptions taken in by Meſſrs. *Glen* and *Cooper*, and by = *Iſaac Beauchamp.*

A Collection of Books, on various ſubjects, imported in Capt. *Mackenzie*, to be ſold at very low prices, at Mr. *Bremar's* Shop near the Watch-houſe.

SUCH perſons as have any demands on the eſtate of Enſign *Thomas Hitchins* deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accompts properly atteſted. And whoever has any of his effects, to deliver them to *Paſchal Nelſon*, Adminiſtrator. ✿

NEGRO CLOTH lately imported, to be ſold reaſonably at our Store on the bay ✿ *Stuart & Reid.*

TO BE SOLD at the Vendue-houſe in *Charles-Town*, for ready money, on tueſday the 15th of *Auguſt* next, the following plantations and tracts of land, &c. taken in execution by the ſubſcriber, *viz.*

A tract of 7000 acres, with improvements thereon, ſituate on *Bull's*-river, belonging to *Robert Thorpe*, Eſq.

Two tracts of land, quantity unknown, belonging to *John Cook* deceaſed, at *Iriſh-Town*.

A tract at *Round O*, belonging to *James Kerr* deceaſed.

A tract on *Ediſto*, belonging to *William Whippy*.

A lot with two tenements in *King-ſtreet*, *Charles-Town*, belonging to *Emanuel Smith* deceaſed.

Two plantations belonging to *George Jackſon*, containing about 460 acres each, the one whereon he lives, and the next joining Doct. *Shirving*, and alſo his houſe and lot in *Jackſonburgh*, now in the poſſeſſion of Mr. *Livingſton*.

A plantation lately belonging to *William Baker* deceaſed, in *St. George's* parith, joining Mr. *Eluba Baker's* land, containing 280 acres, bounding to the S.W. on *Aſhley-River*.

A lot and ſome buildings at the upper end of *Broad ſtreet*, belonging to Mr. *Robert Thorpe*.

The land and houſe commonly called the *Play-houſe*, in *Queen-ſtreet*, *Charles-Town*. = *Rawlins Lowndes*, Pr. Marſhal.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, who are Removed into one of mr. *Thomas Elliott's* new tenements on the bay, next door to meſſrs *Lenox & Deas*, have lately *IMPORTED* in the *Fortroſe*, capt. *Mackenzie*, and in the laſt veſſels from *England*, a large aſſortment of cordage, ſail cloth, *Dutch* and *Engliſh* twine & ſhoe thread, variety of cotton hollands and cotton gowns, cambricks, chints, ſpotted, flower'd and long lawns, muſlins, white & brown hollands, china, beſt hyſon, green and bohea tea, check'd linnen, garlix, pavillion gauze, diaper and damaſk table cloths, ruſſia linnen and huckaback for towelling, hoes, nails, very neat ſconce glaſſes in mahogony frames, pickles, florence and linſeed oyl and white lead, new faſhion'd copper coolers, floor and table carpets, umbrelloes, currans and raiſins in jars, fine ſteel grates and braſs fenders, gun powder,——with variety of haberdaſhery, cutlery, and ſtationary wares, and ſeveral other kinds of goods proper for the ſeaſon ☐ ROBERT PRINGLE, & Comp.

WHEREAS a Muſtee Fellow named *Jeffery*, belonging to *Lennox & Deas*, has abſented himſelf from his ſaid maſters ſervice for ſome weeks by paſt: whoever apprehends and delivers him to the warden of the work-houſe, ſhall receive 5 *l.* reward, beſides all reaſonable expences. And all perſons whatever, are hereby forbid to entertain him, on pain of being proſecuted: He has a remarkable cut a croſs his noſe, and formerly belong'd to *George Chicken*. ☐

TO BE SOLD by *Gabriel Manigault*, exceeding good *Iriſh* plains, and ſtrip'd duffils.

RUN AWAY ſome time laſt week, from my plantation, two negro women, one named *Sarah*, and the other *Mary*, lately belonging to mrs. *Anne Waight* deceaſed; the former is a luſty black wench, with a very remarkable child of a brick colour, has white curl'd hair, and a twinkling in its eyes; the other a thin yellow wench: They are ſuppoſed both to be harbour'd about *Aſhley-Ferry*. Whoever apprehends and brings them to me at the ſaid plantation, or ſecures them in the work-houſe, ſhall have 10 *l.* reward, beſides lawful charges. *Sarah Fleming.*

TO BE SOLD, a very handſome, ſtrong, and faſhionable Coach. Enquire of SAMUEL PERKINS, *Coach and Coach-Harneſs Maker*, in Charles-Town.

Who has alſo a ſtrong and handſome Chaiſe, with fore and ſide Glaſſes, to ſell.

LONDON, January 31ſt, 1749.

PROPOSALS for publiſhing by Subſcription, *for the Benefit of the Author.*

A NEW and moſt conciſe METHOD (hitherto unknown) of MULTIPLICATION and DIVISION, by which any Number or Quantity of Figures may be inſtantly multiplied and divided, and the Product and Quotient aſcertained in one ſingle Line, by a certain, invariable Rule, adapted to a common Capacity. Invented by *QUIN MACKENZIE QUIN, At Eight Years of Age,* Who has performed the Operation in the Preſence of ſeveral of the *Nobility, Gentry,* and *Merchants.*

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Extract of a Letter from ſome eminent Gentlemen in LONDON, with the above Propoſals.

WE ſend you herewith a few Propoſals for publiſhing a new Method of MULTIPLICATION and DIVISION, which has ſurpriſed our City; the Boy, who is not yet 10 Years of Age, has done many Queſtions we gave him, in our preſence, almoſt as ſoon as we could multiply and divide by a ſingle Figure: He multiplied 14 Figures by 8 Figures in leſs than two Minutes. The Duke of *Montague*, Biſhop of *Worceſter*, the Speaker of the Houſe of Commons, Sir *John Barnard*, *&c.* have ſubſcrib'd; and we make no Doubt, an Invention which claims a Place next to LOGARITHMS will meet with univerſal Encouragement.

WHEREAS the Veſtry-Men and church-wardens of the pariſh of *St. Bartholomew*, agreeable to an act of aſſembly in ſuch caſe made, did on the 20th of *March* 1745, aſſeſs the ſaid pariſh in the ſum of *one ſhilling* and *ſix pence* on all ſlaves, and the ſame on every hundred acres of land to reimburſe the church-wardens their expences for the maintenance of the Poor of the ſaid pariſh; which ſaid aſſeſſment a great many of the non reſidents in the ſaid pariſh have hitherto neglected to pay: Theſe are therefore to deſire the ſaid defaulters to pay their ſaid reſpective aſſeſſments to the ſubſcribers (church-wardens of the ſaid pariſh) on or before the firſt of *September* next, or executions will forthwith be iſſued againſt them for the ſame.

William Harden, Charles Sanders.

THE ſeveral Perſons indebted to Lieutenant *John Payne*, and whoſe bonds are in the hands of his attorneys (*Gabriel Manigault* and *Benjamin Savage*) are deſired to prepare for the diſcharge of them by the firſt of *December* next; poſitive directions being lately received for calling in the ſaid debts, and which not ſatisfied at that time will be put in Suit, by

Andrew Rutledge.

WHEREAS *John Stronach*, upwards of 12 Years Armourer to the King's Magazine at *Frederica* in *Georgia*, is now removed into *Union-ſtreet* in this Town, all Gentlemen and others may have all ſorts of Arms, *&c.* clean'd and mended by him in the beſt Manner, at a very reaſonable Rate.

To be RAFFLED for,

ON the 1ſt *September* next (if the ſubſcription be full) a corner lot of land, fronting two ſtreets, in *Colleton's* ſquare, conſiſting of 50 feet by 75, with a good new brick two ſtory and half dwelling-houſe thereon with five rooms, a good brick kitchen with an oven in it, a large ſtable with other convenient out-houſes. The whole valued at £. 1,600 will be divided into 128 chances, at 12:10 *l.* each. Subſcriptions taken by *Eliſha Poiſſet* at his houſe in *Charles-Town*, where the raffle is to be, and a firm and indiſputable title may be ſeen and confirmed, by *William Fiſhburn.*

STRAY'D or ſtolen off *Charles-Town* green, ſome time in *June* laſt, a large white horſe, about 14 hands high, and pretty ſlim, with a fiſtula mark a little above the mounting ſhoulder, but has no brand. Whoever brings him to me in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have 40 *ſh.* reward, from

George Mathewes.

TO BE SOLD,

By *JOHN LINING* in BROAD-STREET,

Stoughton's Bitters, at 40 *ſ. per Quart,*
TREACLE WATER, at 25 *ſh.*
Citron Water, at 6 *l. per Gallon,*
Uſquebaugh, and Cinamon Water, at 5 *l.*
Geneva, Orange, Aniſeed, Mint, and Tanſey Waters, at 40 *ſ.*

THREE Tracts of choice Land for Indico and corn, on *John's-Iſland*, adjoining each other and convenient to landings, one containing 200 acres, the others 100 each, belonging to the eſtate of *James Torquett* deceaſed, to be ſold. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may treat with *William Wilkins, Joſeph Jones*, and *Judith Torquett.*

STRAY'D into Mr. *Francis Roche's* plantation in *St. Thomas's* pariſh, a grey gelding, with a long tail and main, branded on the mounting ſhoulder GB a little blotched, and on the mounting buttock G, between 13 and 14 hands high. The owner may have him by applying to *Francis Lejau.*

STRAY'D from *Charles-Town*, a cropt bay horſe branded Æ, a black horſe branded EL, with two white feet; a flea bitten horſe, with a blemiſh in one eye, branded on the near buttock P, and on the off buttock 5. Whoever brings them to the ſubſcriber ſhall have 4 *l.* reward, *Wi. Turner.*

N.B. I have a very ſtrong, neat light chair to ſell.

STRAY'D from *Gooſe-Creek*, a black horſe near 14 hands high, with a ſmall ſtar in his forehead, roman noſe, and a few grey hairs in his tail, paces, is branded on the mounting ſhoulder AS, and likewiſe on ſome other part IS. Whoever brings him to *John Singleton* at *Gooſe-Creek*, ſhall have 3 *l.* reward, beſides reaſonable charges.

BROUGHT to the Work-Houſe.

A run away Negro Fellow, belonging to Mr. *Bruce.*
A run away negro fellow belonging to Mr. *George Rivers.*
A negro fellow belonging to Mr. *McMurdy.*
A negro fellow belonging to Mr. *Drake.*
A negro woman belonging to Mr. *Tuckerman.*
An old negro woman, formerly belonging to Mrs. *Sterling* on *James-Iſland.*
A young negro fellow, belonging to Mr. *Vertue* at *Santee.*
A negro fellow, belonging to Mr. *Chapman.*

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